

IN PERIL IN PETERSBURG

Mr. E. C. Kent Narrowly Escaped Serious Injury.

AGED CITIZEN PARALYZED

Mr. William Meade III at His Home in Chesterfield County—Trial of a Big Damage Suit Begins.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., Oct. 22.—Mr. E. C. Kent, president of the Kent Furniture Company in this city, narrowly escaped serious injury as the result of a gas explosion this morning. Mr. Kent was supervising the removal of furniture from his former home on Marshall Street, to the residence on Market Street, formerly occupied by Mr. George Seay. He detected that gas was escaping in one of the rooms and mounted a step ladder to get to the jet. In order to find where the gas was escaping he lighted a match, which caused an instant explosion. Mr. Kent was knocked from the ladder, his hair singed, but beyond the jar he was not injured. Several pictures on the walls were damaged, but there was no damage done to the room.

THE CRATER VETERANS.
Three hundred members of the Seventh Virginia Regiment, one hundred and twenty-five from the Pickett-Buchanan, Ewell and Tom Smith Camps, and seventy-five survivors of Mahone's Brigade, who participated in the charge at the Crater, will reach Petersburg on an excursion from Norfolk on the morning of November 6th, to take part in the exercises at the Crater. An equal number of visiting military and veteran organizations from Richmond will be in Petersburg that day and many Confederates from adjoining counties.

John Pelham, colored, will have a preliminary hearing to-morrow morning before the Mayor to answer the charge of stabbing to death Cornelius Walker, colored, at the dance hall on New Market Avenue, Monday night. There are no new developments in the case. Although there were many persons in the hall at the time of the disturbance, very few actually saw the difficulty, and only one witness testified to seeing John Pelham stab Walker. Pelham denies that he stabbed Walker.

MR. MEADE PARALYZED.
Mr. William Meade, a distinguished citizen of Chesterfield county, for many years connected with educational work, is ill as the result of a stroke of paralysis. Mr. P. H. Wells, who was placed in charge last night on the night of shooting and injuring a negro Saturday night, released to-day. James Allen, the negro who was wounded, entered Mr. Wells' store and being drunk, grew boisterous and abusive. Allen confessed to-day that he was in fault and the warrant was withdrawn.

The suit of M. Levy, the well known furniture dealer in this city, against Mr. Paul Williams for \$10,000 for alleged assault, was begun in the Corporation Court to-day. It is not probable that the case will go to the jury till late to-morrow afternoon. Messrs. Bernard, Mann and George S. Bernard represent the plaintiff, and Mr. W. B. McIlwaine, the defendant.

The Daily Quartette, of New York, will give the second number of the Dyer Star Course at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening. This quartette comes highly recommended, and there are very few seats now left to be secured.

BOOMING PETERSBURG.
The Board of Governors of the Petersburg Chamber of Commerce discussed various matters at their meeting last night. It was determined to publish a pamphlet for free distribution, setting forth the advantages Petersburg offers to patriotic industries. The pamphlet will be issued as soon as possible, and will probably be ready by the day of the Crater celebration.

Miss Virginia Greover, of Chilhowie, Va., is visiting Mrs. Mary Paul Roper, in this city. Miss Greover will go to New York next week as a special agent for the Confederate Veterans to the reunion in that city, and Miss Roper will be her chief maid of honor.

Miss Mary Louise Thompson, of New York, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. White, on Hinton Street, in this city.
Mr. John J. Farrell, of New York, and Dr. Powhatan Schank, of Norfolk, were in this city to-day for the purpose of having the bodies of their late uncle, John White, and their cousin, Walter H. White, taken from Blandford Cemetery and shipped to New York for burial in Woodlawn Cemetery, beside the body of Mrs. John White, who died in New York August 30th last.

CLEAR JUMPS SCARCE

Negress of Fauquier Have Their First Horse Show.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARRENTON, VA., Oct. 21.—The first annual exhibit of the Warrenton Colored Horse Show Association opened here to-day, with an attendance of 1,000 or over.
After the customary exhibits of yearlings, single harnessed horses and greenlings, the steeplechase over a half mile course was most interesting. Clear jumps were scarce, falls were numerous, and in some instances the hurdles were badly splintered. The show closed with a flat race, which brought out a large field of half-breds, among which were one or two animals of finer blood. Particularly noticeable was the fact that every horse was given a loose rein from the start, allowing the best runners to take the lead and keep it from the time the first few lengths had been covered. A speedy bay and a black and neck were for five hundred yards, the former coming in second and falling heavily just as the line was crossed. The good order kept by the judges and the especially gratifying to the management.
An extensive programme is promised for to-morrow.

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DAUGHTERS IN SESSION

Two Branches in Virginia Now United.

METHODISTS IN SESSION

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society Holds Annual Meeting in Norfolk. Negroes Try to Register by Having Assessments Increased.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., Oct. 21.—The United Daughters of the Confederacy of Virginia are in session here to-day. Miss Ruth Jennings, of Lynchburg, vice-president for Virginia, presided in the absence of Mrs. William A. Smoot, who is ill at her home, in Alexandria. The large assembly of delegates was called to order at 10 o'clock, and Rev. Carl E. Grammer, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, offering prayer.
Mrs. Charles G. Elliott, president of Pickett-Buchanan Chapter, of this city, made the address of welcome. She referred to the fact that the two branches of the Daughters of the Confederacy in Virginia are now united, and declared that only through force of circumstances, could they ever have been divided in their great work. Miss Jennings responded in kind and welcome words, and forty chapters answered the convention heard the reports of Mrs. Charles M. Blackford, and Mrs. Charles C. Bolling, treasurers of the former separate organizations.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.
The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Virginia Methodist Conference convened here to-day. Miss Jennie Scott of Portsmouth, presented the president, Mrs. W. C. Ivey, of Lynchburg, with a gavel made of wood from the former Spanish warship *Reina Mercedes*. Eighty delegates and all the State officers are present. The secretary's report showed that the 4,657 members in 151 auxiliaries. The treasurer's report showed \$1,181 has been raised in the one district of the Eastern Shore, which includes several Maryland counties. Nine Bible teachers and twenty-seven school teachers are supported by the organization.
The retiring officers of the society are: President—Mrs. W. C. Ivey, of Lynchburg; Vice-President—Mrs. Richard Bagby, of Petersburg; Treasurer—Mrs. A. W. Nowlin, of Lynchburg; Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. H. C. Cheatham, of Norfolk; Recording Secretary—Mrs. Lee Britt, of Suffolk.

Frank Scott, of Norfolk, was to-day awarded an absolute divorce from his wife, Mary Elizabeth Scott, on statutory grounds.
E. R. Hatcock, of Akron, O., will erect here a \$200,000 brewery.

NEGROES REGISTER.

Sixty-one negroes, who were not permitted to register under the privileged clause of the new Constitution, applied to Judge Trent at a special term of the Circuit Court to-day for a mandamus to compel the registrars to place their names on the books. The negroes testified that they had voluntarily had the assessments on their property established to \$250 each, in order that they might be entitled to vote under the property qualification. The registrars rejected the assessment tickets as not bona fide. Those of them that could establish the genuineness of the assessment the Court to-day allowed to register. Other cases were taken under advisement, while in most of them the registrars were sustained.
J. H. Whitley (colored), charged with poisoning the entire family of William Perry with rough-on-rats, is held for the county grand jury without bail.
Mr. David Lowenberg, capitalist and director-general of the Jamestown Exposition, reported married in the West last night, is away from home for that purpose and will bring his bride back with him. The family withhold her name as yet.

PRIZE WINNERS AT RADFORD FAIR

A List of Blooded Cattle That Secured Blue Ribbons.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RADFORD, VA., Oct. 21.—The District Fair was a financial success and the Association again come out ahead after paying premiums and other expenses.
The premiums won by Major J. T. Cowan on short horns and by Mr. B. W. Anderson on Herefords, were even larger than stated in a previous special. Major Cowan's cattle taking \$500 and Mr. Anderson's over \$700.
A full list of cattle premiums follows:
Best bull, three years old and over—Governor Tyler, bred by Major Cowan and owned by V. P. I.; second, Gwendoline's cup, owned by Major Cowan, of Montgomery.
Best bull, two years old and under three—Blood Royal, owned by Major Jno. T. Cowan.
Best bull, over one year old and under two—Kirklevington Princess 42, owned second, Irony, owned by Major W. W. Bentley, of Pulaski.
Best half calf—Judge Phlegar, owned by Major Cowan; second, Victor, owned by Mr. C. E. Bryant, of Grayson county.
Best cow, three years old and over—Hawthorne 47, owned by V. P. I.
Best cow or heifer, two years old and under three—Gwendoline 11, second, underline 15, both owned by Major Cowan.
Best heifer, one year old and under two—Kirklevington Princess 42, owned by Major Cowan; second, Hawthorne of V. P. I., owned by Virginia Polytechnic Institute.
Best heifer calf—Rose of Weldon 20, owned by Major Bentley; second, Josephine B. 11, owned by Major Cowan.
Best cow and calf—Hawthorne 53, owned by V. P. I.; second, Rose of Weldon 3, and calf, owned by Major W. W. Bentley.
Best bull and not less than four cows or heifers, two years old and over—Gwendoline's cup, Gwendoline 7, 11, 15, 16, and Lucile Lassie, owned by Major Cowan; second to V. P. I.
Best young herd, consisting of bull and four heifers, between 6 to 24 months—Randall and Kirklevington Princess 47, Archduchess 4, and Josephine 10 and 11, owned by Major Cowan; second, Irony, Rose of Weldon 17 and 18, Lady Josephine 24, and Hawthorne 50, owned by Major W. W. Bentley.
Best bull of any age—Blood Royal, owned by Major Cowan; second, Randall, owned by Major Cowan.
Best bull bred by exhibitor—Gwendoline's cup; second, Randall, both owned by Major Cowan.
Best heifer bred by exhibitor—First premium to Major Bentley; second, Gwendoline 7, owned by Major Cowan.
Best bull and four cows or heifers, bred by exhibitor—Gwendoline's cup and Gwendoline 7, 11, 15 and 16, owned by Major Cowan; second to Major Bentley.
Best bull and four of his get without regard to ownership—First premium, Champion Cup, Governor Tyler; Gwendoline's cup and Josephine 7, 11 and 15, owned by Major Cowan; second, to Major Bentley.
Best three animals or more, produce of one cow, without regard to ownership—Governor Tyler, Gwendoline's cup and Gwendoline 11 and 15, owned by Major Cowan.
Premiums on Herefords—Best bull three years old and over—Van, owned by Mr. B. W. Anderson, of Greenbrier, W. Va.; second to Marmaduke, owned by Mr. Haynes L. Morgan, of Smyth county.
Best bull two years old and under three—Timoror's, owned by Mr. Haynes L. Morgan; second to Actor 23, owned by Mr. Anderson.
Best bull one year old and under two—Marmaduke 5, owned by Mr. Anderson; second to Grimsom Rambler, owned by Mr. Morgan.
Best bull calf under one year—Marmaduke 11th; second, Garnet, both owned by Mr. Anderson.
Best cow three years old and over—Miss Perless, second to Frances J., both owned by Mr. Anderson.
Best cow or heifer, two years old and under three—Anita 24; second premium to Janice, owned by Mr. Anderson.
Best heifer, one year old and under

AMHERST MURDER CASE

It is Allowed to Go Over to the November Term.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
AMHERST, VA., Oct. 21.—The trial of Robert Leason, the negro who was indicted by the grand jury here last Monday for the murder of J. C. Reed, and set for trial to-day, has been continued to the third day of next term of Amherst County Court.
Leason was unable to employ counsel, and Judge White appointed Mr. Stickley Tucker, a member of the Amherst bar, to take charge of his case. Mr. Tucker, after some consultation with the prisoner, asked for a continuance to the November term of court, in order to have other witnesses summoned and more time to prepare for the conduct of the trial. The continuance was readily granted, and the prisoner out of abject caution ordered to be taken to Lynchburg and there kept until the day of his trial.
George Wilson, who was indicted jointly with William Reed for robbery, was tried to-day and acquitted, after which, the judge ordered a nolle prosequi to be entered in the case of William Reed, as he believed the evidence not sufficient to sustain the case.
Judge White adjourned his court to-day for the term and left on the afternoon train for his home, in Charlottesville.

ELECTRIFIED THEM

Mr. J. K. Fulton Addresses the Voters of Carroll County.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HILLSVILLE, VA., Oct. 21.—According to previous appointment, Superintendent J. K. Fulton, of Grayson county, and Democratic candidate for the State Senate, addressed the voters of Carroll county in the courthouse Monday. As it was County Court day and the election close at hand, the audience was small, but the people, and Mr. Fulton had a well filled house of eager listeners.
Judge D. W. Bolger introduced the speaker with a few well chosen remarks, which at once riveted the attention of the entire audience.
Mr. Fulton then addressed his hearers in a speech an hour and a half in length, in which he discussed the relationship of the citizen to the State, the necessity of having honest, intelligent and virtuous officers; the importance of education in promoting a higher order of citizenship; the necessity of better schools and longer terms, as well as the great need of industrial schools; the importance of building up a good system of country roads which will furnish proper local transportation facilities; and thus pave the way to a fuller and better development of our natural resources.
The duty of the State to make what recompense she can to the old Confederate soldier for the great sacrifice he made for her, and lastly, the present prosperous condition of the State and her grand future prospects under the new Constitution.
Mr. Fulton was listened to with marked attention, and his eloquent speech had an electrical effect upon his hearers.

NAVY-YARD AT NORFOLK

Extensive Improvements to Be Made There Shortly.

BUILDING OF WAR VESSELS

Thought that Government is Determined to Resume Building Ships at Its Own Yards—New Launching Way—Schmoole Affair.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., Oct. 21.—The government is getting ready to build all the ships necessary in its own yards. The experiences of the last year with the crippled yards of the ship building trust has convinced the practical men of the navy, the trained officers of the service, that the government should be in position to do its own construction, as well as the repair works upon its ships at all the navy yards.

The old launching ways at this navy yard, from which many a gallant ship has slipped off into the waters of the Chesapeake, have not been used since the construction of the famous cruiser Raleigh and the battleship Texas. The ways have been practically abandoned for the past nine years, and it was thought that there would scarcely be another ship laid down there. This impression was strengthened by the construction at St. Helena and Cedar Grove, the government reservations on the eastern side of the Southern Branch, of wharves and slip ways for the torpedo boats.

It was the avowed intention of the government, when it purchased the Cedar Grove tract, to hold the water front unobstructed, in order that the launching ways on the western side of the river might not be obstructed. The improvements at Cedar Grove, however, are immediately opposite the old launching ways, and it would be impossible to launch a vessel stern first at that point, without danger of her striking the piers, where the torpedo boats are tied up.

NEW LAUNCHING WAY.
This practical abandonment of the launching ways was significant of the intention of the government to adhere permanently to its policy of building all warships by contract in private yards, leaving only the repair work to the navy yards.

Just then, however, the practical object lesson of the helplessness of the Navy Department, in the face of complications involving the private yards, was given. Naval officers were not slow to grasp the full significance of that such a situation would mean in time of trouble, and they at once remembered the navy yards.

One result of this is that there will be built at this yard, under the estimates to cost \$100,000, the best and the finest equipment of the kind in the country, and will include overhead cranes for handling materials. It will be built at an acute angle to the river, so that ships will go down stream when launched from it. The foundation will, Civil Engineer Thompson says, be strong enough to support a 15,000 ton battleship. The naval officers are confident that the plan will be approved and the government thus made more independent of the private yards.

MAY COMPROMISE.
It is stated to-day, on the very best authority, that there is an excellent chance that the differences between the government and the owners of the Schmoole tract, adjoining the navy yard, and needed for the extension of the plant, may be settled out of court.

The case is booked to come up before the Federal Court during the November term. Two condemnation commissions having rendered practically identical reports, the price of the property at a higher figure than the appropriation of half a million dollars, made by Congress for the acquisition of the property, the matter is now to go to the jury, whose verdict will, in all probability, be final.

EPISCOPAL WOMEN

Auxiliary is Now in Annual Session in Leesburg.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LEESBURG, VA., Oct. 21.—The thirteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Virginia of the Episcopal Church, began in St. James Episcopal Church, Leesburg, Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Miss Sallie Stuart, of Alexandria, president and secretary, and Mrs. R. A. Gwynne, vice-president. The delegates, numbering about seventy-five, were welcomed by Rev. E. S. Hinks, the rector, Archdeacon Jennings, of Idaho, and Mathews, of Piedmont, at the opening exercises. The reports from three conventions showed a total contribution of over \$1,000 for benevolent purposes. This auxiliary is composed of the churches embraced in the James River, Rappahannock, Piedmont and Valley Conventions. The meeting will close on Wednesday night.

FAILED IN ATTEMPT TO ROB A BANK

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Oct. 21.—Before day this morning at McCollis, on the Atlantic Coast Line, between this city and Bennettsville, three masked men broke into the bank and made three attempts to blow open the vault. They went upstairs in the telephone exchange, aroused the telephone boy from bed and gagged him. He overheard them say they could accomplish robbery if they had more time, but they departed without succeeding, leaving the boy bound and gagged so that he could not give the alarm.

HAIR NATURALLY ABUNDANT

When it is Free of Dandruff, It Grows Luxuriantly.
Hair preparations and dandruff cures, as a rule, are sticky or irritating affairs, that do no earthly good. Hair, when not diseased, grows naturally, luxuriantly. Dandruff is the cause of ninety per cent of all hair trouble, and dandruff is caused by a germ. The only way to cure dandruff is to kill the germ; and so far, the only hair preparation that will positively destroy the germ is Newbros' Herpicide—absolutely harmless, free from greasy, seductive dye matter or caustic drugs. It always itching instantly; makes hair glossy and soft as silk. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Sold by leading druggists. Send the 10 stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Owens & Minor Drug Co., Special Agents.

AUCTION SALES—This Day.

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Continuous Sale, Every Day from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THIS SALE ENDS NOV. 1, 1903.
Don't miss the chance for a bargain. I will sell the following articles: Ranges, Broilers, Portable Oven, Kitchen Utensils, Dining-room and Kitchen Tables, Silver, Glass and Chinaware, Table and Bed Linen, Druggists, Hall and Room Carpets, House Furniture and Furnishings of every description, 2 Barbed Wire and Shovel Fixtures, Annular and Electric Appliances, Linoleum, large Safe, Lumber and Building Material, Bath Tubs, Toilets, Pipes, Gas Fixtures, and Plumbers' Supplies. In fact, anything a well-equipped hotel would be likely to have will be offered for sale. Don't miss the chance for a bargain, as everything must be sold, and at an expected great sacrifice.
EDGAR ALLAN, Jr.

By The Valentine Auction Co., Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE OF ANTIQUES,

309-311 N. Eighth Street,

Thursday Morning, Oct. 22nd

10.30 o'clock.

On account of closing up the business of the Dixie Antique Furniture Co., No. 309-311 N. Eighth Street, will sell at auction their entire stock of rare and valuable Antique Furniture, Brasses, Old China, Cut Glass, Engravings, Paintings, Carved and turned wood, etc. This sale is positive and goods will be sold to highest bidder regardless of value. THE VALENTINE AUCTION CO., Auctioneers.

P. S.—Mr. J. F. Biggs, who has been with the Dixie Antique Furniture Co., will open a new store and continue in the business of antiques at No. 615 East Main Street.

Geo. W. Mayo, Auctioneer.

REMOVAL SALE.

HORSE AND WAGON, BUTCHERS' REFRIGERATOR, PAIR COMPUTING SCALES, PAIR COUNTER SCALES, 2 horse-power Electric Motor, 4 Degie Electric Fans, oval display Show Case, with rail 2 Marble-Top Counters, 2 Chip Beef Cutters, very fine Meat Rack, 1 Smith Sausage Cutter, 2 Meat Saws, 1 barrel Vacuum Enterprise Sausage Chopper, 45-gallon Lard Kettle, Trays, and sundry other articles.

These articles, the very best kind and all sold attract the attention of the trade.
TERMS—Cash.
I will sell for account of Mr. Andrew J. Warren, at No. 425 N. Sixth Street, at 12.30 P. M., OCTOBER 22, 1903.

Geo. H. Valentine and A. P. Montgomery, Salesmen.

Auction Sale of Nice Detached Two

Story Frame Dwelling No. 10,

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Between Main and

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I will sell at my auction house at 10.30 A. M., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1903.

1 Large and High Mahogany Wardrobe, 2 Bureaus, French Scroll Bed and Washstand, 15 Bureau and Washstand, Marble Washstand, 1 Heavy Oak Wood Stove, Wardrobe, Chamber Suits, Fine Stove Filter, Bureaus, Washstands, Sares, Enamelled tubs, Bathtubs, 12 new Carpets, Bedboards and numerous other articles.

A. R. MAYO, Proprietor.

Geo. H. Valentine, A. P. Montgomery, Salesmen.

ENGINE PLUNGED DOWN PRECIPICE

A Complete Wreck on the Steep Side of Cloyd's Mountain.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DUBLIN, VA., Oct. 21.—A new traction engine and corn shredder just purchased by Mr. C. E. Miller, of Bladensburg, was badly wrecked in a ravine on the north side of Cloyd's Mountain on the Giles and Pulaski Turnpike, about six miles from this place. Mr. C. E. Miller, the father of the owner, was in charge, when meeting a man with an empty wagon, he was told, he was forced against the steep mountain side on a hill which, giving way under the heavy engine, caused it to roll and plunge down the steep mountain side, striking the further bank of the ravine, then falling backward and completely wrecking both. Mr. Miller escaped by jumping.

A fat cattle continue going forward in large numbers. H. T. Einstein shipped some very fine export steers yesterday, averaging 1,500 pounds, and three years, but one was a King, and to-day K. E. and C. W. Harman's shipment from this place and Max Meadows' from Lee head, and the 12 head of cattle about one-half of the cattle of this section have been shipped.

Rev. J. Church, who has served the Episcopal church here for the last three years, left with his family for his new field at Leesburg, Giles county, to-day. His going is regretted by many outside of his own church, and he is followed by the good wishes of many friends made during his pastorate here.

Quite heavy frosts have fallen for the past two nights but the gardens have been hurt little in most localities.

Succeeds a V. teran.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HARRISBURG, VA., Oct. 21.—J. W. Cayce to-day succeeded Captain R. S. Harris as a delegate to the annual convention of the Baltimore and Ohio Southern in Harrisburg. Captain Douthett has held this position for nearly three years, but has been connected with the railroad here since 1887.

Mr. Cayce is a young man of recognized ability and has been a member of the local office for several years.

AUCTION SALES—Future Days

STREET RAILWAY ELECTRIC LIGHT AND ICE PLANT AND REAL ESTATE FOR SALE, AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

More than six months' default having been made in the payment of interest on the bonds of the Charlottesville City and Suburban Railway Company, secured in the deed of trust from said a Railway Company, dated September 15, 1904, and recorded in the clerk's office of the Corporation Court for the Corporation of Charlottesville, D. B. 11, pages 104 to 117, and clerk's office of the County of Albemarle, D. B. 11, pages 117 to 152, at the written request of the holders of a majority of said bonds, the undersigned, substituted trustees under said deed of trust, will, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1903,

at 12 o'clock, put up at the front door of the courthouse of Albemarle County, in the city of Charlottesville, Va., expose to sale all the property, real and personal, conveyed by said deed of trust, consisting in part of the Street Railway tracks, with all its buildings, connections, an ice plant, electric plant, with all its connecting wires, poles, and, together with all privileges, leases, easements, rights, franchises and contracts relating and pertaining to said railroad or either of said plants; all equipment, machinery, plants, and several pieces of real estate, some in the county of Albemarle, and some in the city of Charlottesville, especially about 100 acres of land along said railway, on which there are mineral springs and a valuable hotel building. In short all the property conveyed by said deed of trust, will be sold. This is valuable and desirable property.

TERMS—As required by said deed of trust.

Sale will be made subject to a mortgage of the Piedmont Construction and Improvement Company, dated February 1, 1895, to secure \$25,000, first mortgage bonds, and also subject to a lien to secure the payment for said bonds recently bought by said

MICHAEL WOODS, Trustee.

By H. A. McCurdy & A. J. Cheating Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

COMMISSIONER'S AUCTION SALE OF

FOUR WELL BUILT FRAME DWELLINGS, NO. 332, 334, 336 AND NO. 338 NORTH FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN DUVAL AND BAKER STREETS.

TERMS—Cash.

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF OCTOBER, 1903, at 10.30 A. M.

we will offer the two 2-story 5-room, frame tenement, 314 and 314-1/2 North Twenty-ninth Street, each with a car porch. The lot has a front of 31 feet and runs back usual depth.

Immediatly after will be offered Brick Tenement No. 307 Q or Venable Street; lot 19 feet front.

Look up the above and see the auctioneers for further information. If you are looking for investment or homes, it will pay you to do so.

TERMS—One-third cash, residue at 6, 12 and 18 months; the deferred payments to be evidenced by negotiable notes, with interest added, and the notes to be purchased money fully paid, and a conveyance ordered by court, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

WILLIAM ELLISON, GILES B. JACKSON, JAMES H. CAMPAN, SOL CUTCHINS, Special Commissioners.

The bond required by the Special Commissioners by the above decree has been fully given.

OCTOBER 20, 1903. C. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

Wm. B. Pizzani Company, Real Estate Auctioneers, Tenth and Bank Streets.